

CENTRAL PARENT COUNCIL
COLD SPRING HARBOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATUS AND RESOLUTION REPORT – November 18, 2021

DISTRICT ITEMS

- 2021-2022 District Goals
 - 2021-2022 District Goals were adopted at the September 14, 2021 Board of Ed meeting.

To see the District Goals please refer to the District website under the Board of Education tab or use the link below.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1D5OM9vJWqtZ1CBXdgElU0TwN2tqRmdrt/view>

- Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI)
 - The power point presentation is available on the district website or follow the link below.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/12CAsCtAwGTvgk0wmghDEY_VFemhWvAya/view

- DEI Survey was emailed out to the community on October 25th.
- DEI Stakeholders Task Force Parent Leaders and Parent Stakeholders were identified and selected respectively at the October CPC Meeting.
- First DEI Stakeholders Task Force meeting - November 4th at 6:30pm.
- Presentation of initial summary of findings of DEI Survey and the Stakeholders Task Force was presented at November 9th BOE meeting. A link of this presentation was sent in the most recent Harbor Highlights emailed to the District on November 12th or follow the link below.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1l6yaXVjU5d1pwG155iZiL4kXzJPUy30Z/view>

- Next DEI Stakeholders Task Force meeting – November 30th at 7:00pm.

PARENT ITEMS

- Short staffed in the Jr./Sr. High Nest - Administration is running an ad in Newsday.
- Query as to why basketball clinic for grades 2-6 is not being offered this year. Administration reiterated that they are currently not permitting outside organizations use of *indoor* facilities. All outdoor facilities are open to outside organizations. The issue of indoor facilities will be revisited in November.

- Inquiry about the dissemination of protocols with respect to parent volunteers in the school. These protocols in their entirety can be found in the Continuity of Learning Plan on the District website, link below:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Q1_gM17SmQPLb09w9tJ4tVqMeIzUNXmg/view

Additionally, the first edition of Harbor Highlights, emailed out to the District on October 15th included an update from the Pandemic Response Team. Item #3 in the Pandemic Response Team Update, dated October 12th addresses parent volunteers in our Schools. Please refer to the link below.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/13dLOcE8_voaxoW14y0ssRM2v96DwxRs7/view

- Discussion regarding genderless bathrooms in the Jr./Sr. High.
 - Mr. Stucchio gave an update:
 - Non-specific gender bathrooms are single stall bathrooms
 - New signs have gone up identifying these bathrooms
 - This is a State mandate
 - Multi-stall single sex bathrooms are still available and marked “Male” and “Female”
 - The option to use the bathroom in the Nurse’s Office is still available
 - Parent concern expressed as to how the District is monitoring the use of these multi-stall bathrooms from a safety perspective.
 - District has a process in place with respect to students that are transitioning. This involves several conversations with the student and their parents/guardians.
- Prior topic from September meeting revisited - English papers not being returned at the Jr./Sr. High
 - Administration’s recommendation was for parents to address the topic with specific teacher first.
 - Additionally, Ms. LaGattuta has discussed this concern with Department Heads.
 - Administration is taking a look in to the practices currently in place and formalize a process to be put in place.

PREVIOUS ITEMS

- Return of English papers at the Jr./Sr. High in a timely fashion.
- Suggested/required reading list
- Remote learning options for non-quarantined students
- DEI documentation
- Communication Pathways